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Art Unit: 1641

Examiner: G. Gabel

Applicant: Ying Ding, Brian Halsall and William R. Heineman

Title: **Simultaneous Multianalyte Electrochemical Assay
Based on Spatial Resolution**

Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. ☒ Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the office action of February 14, 2001, corrected pursuant to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of May 23, 2001.
2. ☒ Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
 - ☐ Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status
 - ☐ Other than a Small Entity
3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		LG. ENTITY	
	Claims After Amendment:	Already Paid:	No. Extra:	Addit. Rate	Addit. Fee:	Addit. Rate:	Addit. Fee:
TOTAL	10 MINUS	10 =	0 X	\$11 =	\$_____	X \$22 =	\$_____
INDEP	2 MINUS	2 =	0 X	\$40 =	\$_____	X \$80 =	\$_____
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim:				+ \$130 =	\$_____	+ \$260 =	\$_____

Total Fee Due: \$ N/A

- ☒ **No additional fee for claims is required.**
4. ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____ for additional claims.
 - ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$_____.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

- (a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$390.00	\$195.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,470.00	\$735.00

Extension fee due with this request \$ None.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$_____.

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

- ☒ **If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)

The amendment filed on 5/9/01 is considered non-compliant because it has not been submitted in the format required under 37 CFR 1.121, as amended on September 8, 2000 (see 65 Fed. Reg. 54603, Sept. 8, 2000 and 1238 O.G. 77, Sept. 19, 2000).

- ☒ The amendment does not include a clean version of the replacement paragraph/section. 37 CFR 1.121(b)(1)(ii) *partial paragraphs are not accepted*
- ☐ The amendment does not include a marked-up version of the replacement paragraph/section 37 CFR 1.121(b)(1)(iii)
- ☐ The amendment does not include a clean version of the amended claim(s). 37 CFR 1.121(c)(1)(i)
- ☐ The amendment does not include a marked-up version of the amended claim(s). 37 CFR 1.121(c)(1)(ii)

For your convenience, attached to this correspondence is a copy of an informational flyer (MPEP Bookmark Bulletin on "Simplified Amendment Practice").

Applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to submit an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121, effective March 1, 2001, in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

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